

Horseshoe orbit :

In an rotating non inertial frame :

The equations of motion are :

$$\frac{dr}{dt} = \frac{p_r}{\mu}$$
$$\frac{d\phi}{dt} = \frac{p_\phi}{\mu r^2} - \omega$$
$$\frac{dp_r}{dt} = \frac{p_\phi^2}{\mu r^3} - \frac{Gm_1\mu}{s_1^3}[r - r_1 \cos(\phi - \pi)] - \frac{Gm_2\mu}{s_2^3}[r - r_2 \cos(\phi)]$$
$$\frac{dp_\phi}{dt} = -\frac{Gm_1\mu}{s_1^3}[rr_1 \sin(\phi - \pi)] - \frac{Gm_2\mu}{s_2^3}[rr_2 \sin(\phi)]$$

Here, $s_1^3 = [r^2 + r_1^2 - 2rr_1 \cos(\phi - \pi)]^{3/2}$ and $s_2^3 = [r^2 + r_2^2 - 2rr_2 \cos(\phi)]^{3/2}$

Now let's write the program :

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In [4]: import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import seaborn as sns
import math as mth
import numpy as np
sns.set_style('darkgrid')
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In [5]: # The variables will be: r, o, pr and po

# Define the functions:

def s13(t,r,o):
    return np.sqrt(r**2 + r1**2 - 2.0*r*r1* np.cos(o - np.pi))**3

def s23(t,r,o):
    return np.sqrt(r**2 + r2**2 - 2.0*r*r2* np.cos(o))**3

def fr(t,r,o,pr,po):
    return pr # u = 1

def fo(t,r,o,pr,po):
    return (po/(r**2)) - w

def fpr(t,r,o,pr,po):
    return (po**2/(r**3)) - (((gm1)/(s13(t,r,o)))*(r - r1* np.cos(o - np.pi))) - (((gm2)/(s23(t,r,o)))*(r - r2* np.cos(o)))

def fpo(t,r,o,pr,po):
    return - (((gm1)/(s13(t,r,o)))*(r*r1* np.sin(o - np.pi))) - (((gm2)/(s23(t,r,o)))*(r*r2* np.sin(o)))

#Define the constants:

rm = 1000 # m1/m2
w = 2.0* (np.pi/(27.0*24.0)) #rad/hour
r1 = (3.84e5)/(1+rm)
r2 = (3.84e5*rm)/(1+rm)
gm1 = w**2 * r2 * 14.7e10
gm2 = gm1/rm

# Define the initial constants:

ti = 0
tf = 24*1600 # hours
h = 0.1 # hours
n = int((tf-ti)/h)
r0 = 384000 # (km)
o0 = np.pi # 180 degree
pr0 = 0
po0 = r0**2 * w

# start process :

t = ti
r = r0
o = o0
pr = pr0
po = po0
x = r0* np.cos(o0)
y = r0* np.sin(o0)
xe = r1* np.cos(np.pi)
ye = r1* np.sin(np.pi)
xm = -r2* np.cos(0)
ym = -r2* np.sin(0)

r_list = [r0]
o_list = [o0]
pr_list = [pr0]
po_list = [po0]
t_list = [ti]
x_list = [r* np.cos(o)]
y_list = [r* np.sin(o)]
xe_list = [r1* np.cos(np.pi)]
ye_list = [r1* np.sin(np.pi)]
xm_list = [-r2* np.cos(0)]
ym_list = [-r2* np.sin(0)]

for i in range(n):

    #print(t,r,o,pr,po,x,y,xo,yo,xm,ym)

    k1r = fr(t,r,o,pr,po)
    k1o = fo(t,r,o,pr,po)
    k1pr = fpr(t,r,o,pr,po)
    k1po = fpo(t,r,o,pr,po)

    k2r = fr(t+ h/2.0, r+ (k1r*h)/2.0, o+ (k1o*h)/2.0, pr+ (k1pr*h)/2.0, po+ (k1po*h)/2.0)
    k2o = fo(t+ h/2.0, r+ (k1r*h)/2.0, o+ (k1o*h)/2.0, pr+ (k1pr*h)/2.0, po+ (k1po*h)/2.0)
    k2pr = fpr(t+ h/2.0, r+ (k1r*h)/2.0, o+ (k1o*h)/2.0, pr+ (k1pr*h)/2.0, po+ (k1po*h)/2.0)
    k2po = fpo(t+ h/2.0, r+ (k1r*h)/2.0, o+ (k1o*h)/2.0, pr+ (k1pr*h)/2.0, po+ (k1po*h)/2.0)

    k3r = fr(t+ h/2.0, r+ (k2r*h)/2.0, o+ (k2o*h)/2.0, pr+ (k2pr*h)/2.0, po+ (k2po*h)/2.0)
    k3o = fo(t+ h/2.0, r+ (k2r*h)/2.0, o+ (k2o*h)/2.0, pr+ (k2pr*h)/2.0, po+ (k2po*h)/2.0)
    k3pr = fpr(t+ h/2.0, r+ (k2r*h)/2.0, o+ (k2o*h)/2.0, pr+ (k2pr*h)/2.0, po+ (k2po*h)/2.0)
    k3po = fpo(t+ h/2.0, r+ (k2r*h)/2.0, o+ (k2o*h)/2.0, pr+ (k2pr*h)/2.0, po+ (k2po*h)/2.0)

    k4r = fr(t+ h, r+ k3r*h, o+ k3o*h, pr+ k3pr*h, po+ k3po*h)
    k4o = fo(t+ h, r+ k3r*h, o+ k3o*h, pr+ k3pr*h, po+ k3po*h)
    k4pr = fpr(t+ h, r+ k3r*h, o+ k3o*h, pr+ k3pr*h, po+ k3po*h)
    k4po = fpo(t+ h, r+ k3r*h, o+ k3o*h, pr+ k3pr*h, po+ k3po*h)

    r = r + (h/6.0)*(k1r + 2.0* k2r + 2.0* k3r + k4r)
    o = o + (h/6.0)*(k1o + 2.0* k2o + 2.0* k3o + k4o)
    pr = pr + (h/6.0)*(k1pr + 2.0* k2pr + 2.0* k3pr + k4pr)
    po = po + (h/6.0)*(k1po + 2.0* k2po + 2.0* k3po + k4po)
    t = t+h
    x = r* np.cos(o)
    y = r* np.sin(o)
    xe = r1* np.cos(w*t)
    ye = r1* np.sin(w*t)
    xm = -r2* np.cos(w*t)
    ym = -r2* np.sin(w*t)

    r_list.append(r)
    o_list.append(o*(180.0/mth.pi))
    pr_list.append(pr)
    po_list.append(po)
    x_list.append(x)
    y_list.append(y)
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In [8]: plt.plot(x_list, y_list)
plt.rcParams["figure.figsize"] = (20, 10)
plt.title("Trajectory of the Satellite")
plt.xlabel("x")
plt.ylabel("y")
plt.plot(xe_list[0],ye_list[0], marker="o",markersize=20, color = 'green')
plt.annotate("Earth",(xe_list[0],ye_list[0]))
plt.plot(xm_list[0],ym_list[0], marker="o",markersize=10, color = 'blue')
plt.annotate("Moon",(xm_list[0],ym_list[0]))
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Out[8]: Text(-383616.3836163836, -0.0, 'Moon')

